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REPORT FROM FIGHTING
GROUND CONTINUES GOOD

Is of Violent Character But Allies Do Well—British Repulse Further Attacks by Germans -- Enemy's Guns Silenced in One Place

Paris, Nov. 12.—The French official statement given out in Paris this afternoon says: "On our left wing the fighting still continues with violence and has been conducted with alternate advances and retirements, without importance. Speaking broadly, the battle front has not varied greatly since November 10. In the evening of yesterday it extended along the line between Lombaertsyde and Nieuport canal to Ypres; the approaches of Ypres; in the region of Zonnebeke to the east of Armentières. "There has been no change in the positions held by the British army, which repulsed the attacks of the enemy, and particularly an offensive movement undertaken by detachment of the Prussian guard. "From the canal of Labasse as far as and up to the river Oise, there have been minor engagements. "In the region of the river Aisne, in the neighborhood of Vailly, we retained our positions against a counter attack, and we strengthened our positions in the territory previously conquered by us. "In the region of Craonne and on the Huertelbis, our artillery succeeded in reducing to silence the cannon of the enemy. Several of their pieces were even destroyed. We also made some progress in the vicinity of Berry-Au-Bac. "In the Argonne in the Woivre district in Lorraine and in the Vosges the respective positions show no change."

Washington, Nov. 12.—The official report from Petrograd to the Russian embassy here today contained the following in addition to what was published from Petrograd: "On the Caucasian front on November 9, on the Kazerlik front, the artillery fighting continued. From some points on the shores on the Black Sea the appearance of the enemy's ships was observed."

ALLIES HOLD YPRES
London, Nov. 12.—The Amsterdam correspondent of Reuter's telegraphs the following: "Ships advise indicate that the Germans continue to blow up bridges and that among the structures so destroyed is the bridge near Hoyt, in West Flanders. Sentries are guarding the railways from Bruges to Ghent; from Courtrai to Ostend, and so forth. "The allies continue to occupy Ypres, but shells falling in town yesterday killed four children. Aeroplanes are reported to have dropped bombs which damaged the church and town hall, and set fire to several other buildings. "The Kaiser, in journeying through Flanders, visited Courtrai and expressed his satisfaction for the manner in which the German troops are quartered."

TURKISH TORPEDO BOAT CAPTURED
London, Nov. 12.—An Athens despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that a Turkish torpedo boat, which escaped from the Dardanelles, has been captured off Tenedos, an island five miles off the northwest coast of Asia Minor.

KAISER'S PLANS FOR MOHAMMEDAN PRISONERS
London, Nov. 12.—An Amsterdam despatch to the Central News says: "The Kaiser has ordered that all Mohammedans captured from the allies be sent to Constantinople to serve in the Turkish army. "A telegram from Bucharest, Roumania, says that Hall Bey, uncle of Enver Bey, the leader of the Young Turks, has arrived there on a special mission in behalf of Turkey."

Germans Destroy Bridges
Sais Van Gent, Holland, Nov. 12.—German engineers today dynamited bridges across the Leopold canal at several places in the northwestern part of East Flanders, near the Dutch frontier. The Germans also threw a number of large trees across the roads leading to the Holland frontier. In this way a night of peasants, which commenced on November 8, is made practically impossible. Since this morning, the customary roar of heavy cannons has been lacking.

THE DESTRUCTION OF THE EMDEN
Sydney, N. Z., Nov. 12.—The naval board here has details of the fighting in which the German cruiser Emden was put out of commission. The Emden arrived at Cocos Island and sent two armed launches ashore. Forty men with three officers and four maxims were landed in fifteen minutes, and the landing party smashed the wireless instruments and the engines of the plant. In the meantime, the Australian cruiser Sydney was sighted on the horizon and the Emden immediately put out to sea, leaving the landing party, both boats and men, behind. The Emden started the firing. Her practice at first was excellent, but afterwards it fell off. She lost two funnels and took fire at the stern within an hour, while the Sydney was scarcely touched. The Emden is now ashore north of Kolling Island and burning. The captain of the Sydney says he found only thirty men on her. The landing party, having commandeered two months' supplies, left on schooners belonging to the owner of the island. They are still at large. It appears that the presence of the Baden was made known to the Sydney.

WEATHER BULLETIN
Issued by the Department of Marine and Fisheries, B. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service. Synopsis—Moderately cold weather now general over the dominion, attended by some slight snow falls or furies in many localities. Rain or Snow. Maritime—Moderate west to north winds, partly fair and colder today and on Friday, with local showers of rain or snow. New England Forecasts—Fair tonight and Friday; colder tonight, light west and northwest winds.

WANT ALL THE AVAILABLE MEN FOR THE MILITIA

Dominion Government, Therefore, Discourages Formation of Volunteer Naval Corps

Ottawa, Nov. 12.—The government does not want a volunteer naval militia corps organized. The fact was made clear to a meeting called by the local motor boat association to consider the organization of a company of naval volunteers. Dr. Mark G. McEhinney, president of the association, was in the chair and there were present some of the gentlemen prominent in local boating circles. There was much enthusiasm at the opening of the meeting, but it did not last for the chairman said that he had seen the Canadian naval service officials and they had declined to give any assistance toward the formation of a company or to recognize one if it was formed. They told him that Canada should concentrate attention upon providing aid entirely for the army and that the organization of naval volunteer companies would not be permitted for fear that it might interfere with the work of enlisting men for the contingent. Before the gathering dispersed there were references to the fact that the formation of the company of naval militia at Victoria had not been encouraged by the government, but that it had forced recognition and was now doing useful work about the city, bringing His Majesty's Canadian Rainbow. There were also several references to the success of the Australian cruiser Sydney over the German commerce destroyer Emden.

MORE THAN 250 NOW ENLISTED

By tomorrow the work of refitting the armory for the housing of the 20th Infantry Battalion for overseas has been completed. The crew has been turned over to the sleeping and dining apartments are ready, and the other rooms all prepared for the accommodation of the volunteers. The supply of food for the men is being carried out by the men of the Army Service Depot under Lieut-Colonel A. E. Hayner.

Recruiting
A detachment of volunteers from Newcastle is expected in the city today, besides a few from other provincial points. Several others have enlisted from about the city, bringing the total number of recruits up to the present to 253, with other names available just as soon as the refitting arrangements are completed. Other names added to the roll of honor today were—J. C. Johnston, S. H. Jones, G. S. Power, Wm. Duncan, F. Murray, Sydney Hart, F. Hickwood, A. Newell, A. Hayner, A. S. Anderson, J. Mehan, A. E. Duffy, J. H. McDonald, F. Riley, C. Duncan, R. McEachern, W. D. Burgess, J. Daley, J. F. Westmorland, C. Mills, H. W. Peacock. The numbers to turn from 232 to 263.

Drilling
Active drilling is done each day by the recruits, from reveille sounding at 6:30 a.m. to Lights Out at 10:15 p.m., with hours off for mess and recreation. Each day sees a certain lengthening of the route marches, which are kept up to harden the men to walking, and these, with the physical drill given, are features into which the recruits enter with vigor. Special military police have been assigned for duty at the Union Depot to watch out for recruits coming to the depot, as well as to see that the regulations regarding discipline are adhered to. Captain George Keefe was officer of the day today.

From P. E. Island
On Saturday morning thirty infantry men recruited by Captain T. E. McNutt, of the 82nd Regiment, will leave Charlottetown for St. John to join the 20th Battalion for the front.

TOBACCO FOR THE SOLDIER BOYS IN WAR
The ladies who are collecting tobacco to be sent to the soldiers at Salisbury Plain were rejoiced by receipt of sixty pounds of tobacco and a thousand cigarettes from St. Andrew's Curling Club. This is the largest single contribution they have received. They wish also to express their thanks to a gentleman in Port Elgin, who did not give his name, but sent three pounds of tobacco. People in any part of the province who wish to contribute may send their contributions to Miss Travers, 28 Sydney street. It is hoped that there will be a very general and generous response, and that by the end of the month when the shipment is to be sent it will be one of very substantial proportions.

MAY SEND BELGIAN RELIEF SHIP FROM HERE
The Belgian consul-general for Canada, in Montreal, has been in communication with the local board of trade with regard to the shipment of Belgian relief goods through St. John. In answer to an enquiry regarding the prospects of being able to handle the goods through this port, the secretary of the board of trade yesterday furnished the desired data by wire, and it has been submitted to the general executive committee in Montreal.

THE STEAMSHIPS
Allan Line Granpian was reported off Cape Race today and is expected at Quebec at eight o'clock on Saturday night and at Montreal on Sunday evening or Monday morning.

HAS THE DAY OF DISSENSION COME?
Austrian General Said to Have Refused Further Co-operation With Germans

London, Nov. 12.—According to the Daily News' Petrograd correspondent General Dankl with the remainder of the Austrian army, is now moving due south across Galicia. General Dankl, the correspondent says, has refused further co-operation with General Von Hindenburg or the German staff.

Heroic Act Saves Russian Cruiser From Destruction

London, Nov. 12.—A despatch from Petrograd to the Times says: The correspondents of Finnish newspapers report the heroic sacrifice of the crew of a Russian picket boat in order to save a Russian cruiser which was unwittingly approaching a mine in the Gulf of Finland. Realizing that it was too late to signal the danger, the boat deliberately rushed at the mine at full speed; a terrific explosion followed and six out of the crew of seven perished. The survivor, who was severely wounded, has been awarded the decoration of St. George.

GOEBEN, FORMER GERMAN CRUISER, REPORTED BADLY DAMAGED IN BOMBARDMENT

Petrograd, Nov. 12.—A despatch from Constantinople says that the Turkish cruiser Goeben was penetrated by a shell at her waterline during the recent bombardment of the Dardanelles by the Anglo-French fleet. The damage is described as serious. The Goeben is one of two German cruisers taken over by Turkey after the outbreak of the war.

CARRANZA AND VILLA FACTIONS AGAIN ARE AT WAR
Fighting Actually Begun, Says Report—A Suggestion to End Trouble

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 12.—War has been declared between the Carranza and Villa elements of the Constitutional army, according to advices received at Junes last night from officials of the conclave of chieftains at Aguascalientes. It is reported that a preliminary battle between the Carranza and Villa forces has already occurred at Leon, between Aguascalientes and Queretaro. The Carranza forces in the capital have expressed the wish that General Villa resign as commander of the northern army and that the Aguas Calientes peace convention come to Mexico City on November 20. Generals Blanco, Obregon and Villarreal have promised that if these things are brought about they will give their allegiance to General Edualdo Gutierrez, recently chosen provisional president by the Aguas Calientes convention, until a new government is definitely formed. Eleven thousand troops under General J. Carranza and Molina, were sent to the Isthmus of Tehuantepec last night after officials had conferred with General Carranza at Cordoba. Washington, Nov. 12.—Uncertainty again today in the Mexican situation. General Gutierrez has taken the oath of office as provisional president. He is a resident of Villahermosa. Secretary Bryan were awaiting further word from Mexico before announcing the date of the evacuation of Vera Cruz.

P. E. I. NEWS
Home Guard for Charlottetown—Fear Fox Safety of Schooners

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 12.—Last night at an enthusiastic meeting of citizens, including middle aged men and several retired military officers, it was decided to form a guard for home defence. The matter is in the hands of a strong committee and will be further stirred up by a public meeting. The first lot of oats donated by island farmers for the army field service fund arrived at the marine wharf today. It amounts to 15,000 bushels. Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 12.—Some anxiety is felt for the safety of the crew of three men on the small Newfoundland schooner Poppy M., which sailed from Carleton on October 10 for Port Aux Basques, Newfoundland, with a cargo of produce shipped by J. A. MacDonald & Co., and has not yet arrived. Under ordinary conditions the run should not have taken more than two or three days.

NEW ATTORNEYS
Several Sworn in Today—Rev. Mr. Newcomb Operated on

Fredrickton, N. B., Nov. 12.—In the supreme court today the following attorneys were sworn in on motion of Dr. Allen—Edward R. McDonald, Charles J. Jones, Joseph B. Michael, J. Bacon Dickson, Isaac C. Spicer, John Murray Keefe, Allison Dysart, Kenneth Wilson, Miles B. Inness and Urban J. Sweeney. The court has adjourned until Friday of next week. Premier Flemming came down from Woodstock last evening. The Fraser arbitration case is being continued here today. Archibald Fraser gave evidence this morning. Yesterday A. MacLaurin of Montreal, a mill owner, was on the stand. The case will not be finished this week. Rev. A. F. Newcomb, pastor of Brunswick street Baptist church, who went to Boston last week to consult specialists, was operated upon in the Boston hospital today for internal trouble. Mrs. Newcomb went to Boston yesterday in response to a telegram. The body of Reta Williams, who was employed at the Barker House, and who was drowned in the river here, was taken to Harvey this morning for burial. Coroner Weaver will hold an inquest this evening.

SIX BATTALIONS ANNIHILATED, SAY SERVANS
Nish, Servia, Nov. 12.—The six battalions of Austrian infantry with quick firing guns, which crossed the Danube near Siderovo under cover of artillery fire on November 9, have been annihilated by a Serbian counter attack, according to official communication given out in Nish today. The Serbian announcement says—"All the men not killed, wounded or drowned in the Danube, fell into our hands. We made 2,000 prisoners and captured two quick firing guns."

The Queen Pays Visit To Wounded Soldiers

Gifts and Kindly Words to Men Who Have Suffered For Country—Hospital Work Praised

London, Nov. 12.—Queen Mary gladdened the hearts of 200 wounded "Tommy's" in the American Women's Hospital in Painsong, Devonshire, by a visit today and a personal gift to each wounded soldier. At the invitation of Lady Arthur Paget, chairman of the American women's committee supporting the hospital, the queen left London early in the morning on a special for four hour trip, accompanied by Lady Mary Trefusis, one of her ladies-in-waiting; Sir Charles Cust, of the king's household; Lady Arthur Paget, Lady Randolph Churchill, and Mrs. Lewis Harcourt, the last three members of the hospital committee. Upon arrival at the hospital, Dr. Howard N. Beale, and the other surgeons, and the nurses, were presented to the queen, who remained for two hours, visiting the wards and talking to the wounded and presenting to them pipes, shirts, cigarettes and mufflers. The queen was enthusiastic in her praise of the beautiful hospital. She highly commended the immaculate wards, the assistance the Red Cross is rendering at the hospital, the conditions under which the men were wounded, invariably in behalf of the British soldiers, and congratulated the soldiers upon falling into such good hands. The queen was especially impressed by the efficiency of the hospital staff, which consists of two Red Cross units of six surgeons and twenty four nurses under the direction of Doctor Beale. She expressed to the committee of ladies her appreciation of the assistance the Red Cross is rendering at a time when skilled surgeons and nurses are so badly needed. Both the king and the queen left Buckingham Palace a little after nine o'clock this morning. While Queen Mary was at Painsong, King George was spending the day with the troops at Aldenham.

CROWN PRINCE LOST BATTLE FOR GERMAN SPY LIFE IN PRISON

Insight Into Recent Great Russian Victory—Six Princes Killed

London, Nov. 12.—The Petrograd correspondent of the Daily Mail sends the following: "It is now admitted semi-officially, but not yet mentioned in the official communications, that it was the failure of the German Crown Prince to hold his position in the centre which compelled a retreat along the whole line. While General Von Hindenburg on the right, were both maintaining their positions, the crown prince's army was fleeing back to the Fatherland. "The Russians poured in between the wings thus left in danger and attacked them, each on two sides, forcing them to scramble back to the frontiers and losing terribly all the way. "The German excuse of bad roads is ridiculed here since, in spite of bad roads, the Russians achieved marvels in marching. The Russians, unlike the Germans, do not depend upon the resources of the country they are traversing, but bring ample provisions with them. "It appears that six German princes were killed in the battle, three of the Lippe family and one each of the houses of Hess, Waldeck and Reuse."

CANADIAN GUNNER IS SUICIDE IN ENGLAND

Montreal Man Had Delusion That Some One Was Trying to Enter Tent

London, Nov. 12.—Suicide during temporary insanity was the verdict of the coroner's jury yesterday at the inquest into the death of Gunner Walter Pendleton, of the Montreal Heavy Brigade Artillery, who was found in his tent on Monday morning with his throat cut. Gunner Bell, a tent mate of Pendleton, testified that he had been acting oddly, having a delusion that some one was trying to enter the tent, and during his absence cut his throat with a razor.

GREAT STORM SWEEPS COAST OF NORWAY

London, Nov. 12.—A despatch to the Morning Post from Christiania, Norway, says: "The most severe storm in ten years has been raging along the coast, but is now abating. Several bridges are submerged, and a number of ships in the harbor here are damaged or ashore. Mail service is disorganized. "Most of the coasting steamers succeeded in reaching refuge owing to ample warning of the approach of the storm."

AUSTRIA FEELS PINCH

Petroleum Supply From Roumania Latest To Be Cut Off
Venice, Nov. 12.—Austrian manufacturers are finding increasing difficulty in procuring raw materials from abroad. An improvement which will be in the classes of wares permitted to be exported. Roumania has just added petroleum to the prohibited list. This creates a serious situation for Austria, since the Russian occupation of Galicia has interfered greatly with the working of the oil wells there. For weeks it has been virtually impossible for private persons to obtain gasoline for automobiles.

NEW WATER WORK

Substantial progress has been made by the water and sewerage department in the work of making connections with the county hospital for tubercular patients. A four inch cast iron water main is being laid from the hospital to the roadway, of permanent construction, and from that point a temporary repair pipe will connect with the Norton and Griffiths main on the shore. A nine inch sewer is being laid from the hospital building as far as the Municipal Home where it will join the big main from the latter institution. From the house to the shore the old wooden box sewer is being replaced by a fifteen inch terra cotta pipe. The mild weather is giving the department an excellent opportunity to finish up other work around the city also. An improvement which will be much appreciated is a new water main which is being laid on the south side of Queen's square. On a portion of this block there was an old two inch pipe but the other half of the block was without direct connection. The extensions in Adelaide street have been completed; work is in progress in Bryden street and a start will be made in Duriam street this week.

TEASED HER DOG; SHE USED REVOLVER

After a quarrel with several passengers who teased her dog, and becoming furious at the alleged mistreatment of her pet, Mrs. Settle is accused of firing twice from an automatic pistol on a man whom she believed to be the ringleader of the group. Both bullets flew wild, and the woman was disarmed. In court Mrs. Settle said: "I fired in the air merely to frighten the man." Two witnesses testified that the woman shot to kill.

AMERICAN WOMAN ARRESTED AT HAVRE ON CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER

Havre, France, Nov. 12.—Mrs. Settle, an American residing in Paris, and who was a passenger on the steamship Chicago from New York, was arrested here yesterday on the charge of attempted murder. After a quarrel with several passengers who teased her dog, and becoming furious at the alleged mistreatment of her pet, Mrs. Settle is accused of firing twice from an automatic pistol on a man whom she believed to be the ringleader of the group. Both bullets flew wild, and the woman was disarmed. In court Mrs. Settle said: "I fired in the air merely to frighten the man." Two witnesses testified that the woman shot to kill.

LIEUTENANT MORS HAD PLOTTED TO BLOCK SUZ CANAL—ASSOCIATES ARRESTED

London, Nov. 12.—The Chronicle today describes the nature of the defence of Lieutenant Mors, a German officer, who was recently imprisoned for life for espionage. Mors was dispatched to Egypt five years ago and succeeded in being appointed a lieutenant in the Egyptian gendarmes. His real mission, according to the Chronicle, was to foment a rebellion among the nationalist princes and to get them to agree to assist him. When war broke out he was recalled to Germany and was sent back to Egypt in a fortnight as medically unfit for military service but actually to blow up a steamship in the Suez Canal and to block the passage of reinforcements from India and Australia. Major General Sir John Maxwell, commander of the British forces in Egypt, heard of the plot and had Mors arrested. In his possession were splendid maps of the Suez Canal and instructions how to sink vessels there. Two dynamite bombs were found in his lodgings. "At his trial, according to the Chronicle, Mors confessed that he received 85,000 for the work. He gave a list of his associates and they have been arrested."